

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
AT CHATTANOOGA

ANTHONY JEROME STOKES,	)	
	)	
<i>Petitioner,</i>	)	No. 1:05-cv-286
v.	)	<i>Edgar</i>
	)	
JIM WORTHINGTON, WARDEN,	)	
	)	
<i>Respondent.</i>	)	

**O R D E R**

For the reasons expressed by the Court in its memorandum filed herewith, the petition filed by Anthony Jerome Stokes pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 is **TRANSFERRED** to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1631.

SO ORDERED.

ENTER this *25th day of October, 2005*.

/s/ R. Allan Edgar  
R. ALLAN EDGAR  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE